


Sociology – A Level Year 1 and Year 2

 Holly Lodge High School College of Science 						
Term	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Focus	Families & Households		Education & Research Methods		Exam Preparation	Mass Media (A2)
Key Tasks	How the family has changed? What are the functions of the family? The family, morality and state policy? Changing divorce and marriage rates The family, morality and state policy? Changing divorce and marriage rates	Family diversity in the UK. Power and control within the family The nature of childhood	What is the role of education? What factors affect educational performance? Social policy and education Relationships within schools	Researching social life What are the practical, ethical and theoretical issues we should consider when doing research? The remainder of the Unit focuses on different types of research methods.	During this time, students will revise the previous two units, we will also focus exam techniques to ensure that all students are prepared for their exams	The New Media New and different ways to use the media What is the significance of new media in the UK?
Assessment	All assessments throughout the year will be based on past exam questions and will take place approximately once every two weeks					